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In re the Application of:

KOMAKI et al.

Art Unit: 2815

Application No.: 09/939,752

Examiner: J. Nguyen

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For:

FUNDAMENTAL CELL SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICE

WIRING METHOD AND WIRING APPARATUS

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

June 7, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed May 16, 2002, the Applicants hereby elect Group I, directed to claims 1-11, without traverse.

In view of the Applicants' above election, Applicants respectfully submit that the Restriction Requirement has been satisfied. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request examination of elected claims 1-11 on the merits.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this application, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number provided below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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